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DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS EPA, ATTENTION ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATOR GREEN

1. MAIN GEOPHYSICAL OBSERVATORY HAS REPLIED TO CONGEN THAT IT REGRETS IT NOT IN POSITION TO PROVIDE COPY OF ACTUAL CEMA PROTOCOL FROM FEB 4-7 1975 CEMA CONFERENCE ON POLLUTION. OBSERVATORY SUGGESTS THAT EMBASSY MAY BE ABLE TO OBTAIN IN MOSCOW ON BASIS OFFICIAL REQUEST. NEVERTHELESS, OBSERVATORY OFFICIAL DID PREPARE AN INFORMATIONAL SUMMARY ON MEETING IN RESPONSE TO CONGEN'S REQUEST. THIS DOES NOT ADD VERY MUCH TO ORIGINAL PRESS ACCOUNTS OF MEETING, BUT IT REPEATED HEREWITH FOR ADDRESSEES' REFERENCE.

2. QUOTE CONCERNING THE FIRST CONFERENCE OF THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE PROBLEM OF METEOROLOGICAL ASPECTS OF ATMOSPHERE POLLUTION: FROM FEBRUARY 4-7, 1975, AT THE MAIN GEOPHYSICAL OBSERVATORY, NAMED AFTER UNCLASSIFIED

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A. I. VOYEYKOV, THERE TOOK PLACE THE FIRST CONFERENCE OF

REPRESENTATIVES OF MEMBER COUNTRIES OF THE CEMA ON THE PROBLEM OF METEOROLOGICAL ASPECTS OF ATMOSPHERE POLLUTION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREEMENT ON SCIENTIFIC-TECHNICAL COOPERATION IN THE COMPLEX PROBLEM OF WORKING OUT MEASURES ON PROTECTION OF NATURE, ADOPTED IN SOFIA IN 1974.

3. QUOTE. AT THE FIRST CONFERENCE OF THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES WERE REPRESENTED 7 COUNTRIES: BULGARIA, HUNGARY, GDR, POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ROMANIA AND THE USSR. MEMBERS OF THE SECRETARIAT OF THE CEMA TOOK PART IN THE CONFERENCE. ON THE AGENDA WERE: ORGANIZATIONAL PROBLEMS OF THE ACTIVITY OF THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES; DISCUSSION AND ADOPTION OF SCIENTIFIC-TECHNICAL RESEARCH FOR 1975-1980; DISCUSSION AND ADOPTION OF THE PLAN OF WORK OF THE COORDINATIONAL CENTER FOR 1975; INFORMATION ABOUT RESULTS OF SCIENTIFIC-RESEARCH WORK IN THE COUNTRIES DURING 1974.

4. QUOTE. MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL HAVE DISCUSSED IN DETAIL THE PROGRAM OF SCIENTIFIC-TECHNICAL RESEARCH ON THE PROBLEM FOR 1975-1980, WHICH WAS WORKED OUT BY THE CONFERENCE OF EXPERTS OF THE MEMBER COUNTRIES OF CEMA IN APRIL 1974. THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES ELABORATED AND ADOPTED THE PROGRAM ON THE PROBLEM. THE PROGRAM INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS: RESEARCH ON SPREADING OF HARMFUL ADMIXTURES UNDER DIFFERENT METEOROLOGICAL CONCITIONS; IMPROVEMENT OF METHODS OF CONTROL OF ATMOSPHEREIC POLLUTION IN DIFFERENT CLIMATIC ZONES; AND DEVELOPMENT OF SCIENTIFIC-TECHNICAL PROGNOSSES ON METEOROLOGICAL ASPECTS OF ATMOSPHERE POLLUTION.

5. QUOTE. THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COUNTRIES MADE REPORTS ON WORK COMPLETED ON THE PROBLEM IN 1974. THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES ADOPTED THE PLAN OF THE CORRDIATION CENTER FOR 1975. THE COORDINATION CENTER MUST PREPARE THE SECOND CONFERENCE OF THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES. IN THE FIRST CONFERENCE ALL COUNTRIES PARTICIPATED IN DISCUSSION OF PROBLEMS AND HELPED TO WORK OUT CONCRETE MEASURES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF MUTUAL SCIENTIFIC UNCLASSIFIED

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6. OBSERVATORY ALSO GAVE CONGEN COPY OF ITS "METEOROLOGY AND HYDROLOGY" JOURNAL, ISSUE NO 10, 1974 WHICH CONTAINS ACCOUNT OF WORK OF 1974 SOFIA MEETING. JOURNAL BEING POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT, OES,SCI/SEP, ATTENTION GANLEY. NEUBERT

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